

**WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:**

1. A sheet package, comprising:

sheets as print mediums for a printer; and

5 a package member surrounding the sheets which have been stacked up,

the sheet package being configured so that the sheets can be set in the printer together with the package member exposing part of the sheets,

10 wherein the package member is integrally provided with a flap part which is capable of exposing part of the sheets by being opened when the sheet package is set in the printer and is also capable of covering the exposed part of the sheets by being closed when the sheet package is not used.

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2. The sheet package according to claim 1,

wherein the flap part is formed in a portion of the package member,

20 wherein the flap part can be set in the state exposing part of the sheets by folding the portion of the package member to one side, and

wherein the flap part can be set in the state covering the exposed part of sheets again by folding the portion of the package member to the other side.

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3. The sheet package according to claim 2, wherein the package member is configured so that the portion will become foldable

when a prescribed part of the package member in mint condition  
is cut off.

4. The sheet package according to claim 2,

5 wherein the package member is provided with a tongue part  
which is exposed when the portion of the package member is folded  
to one side, and

10 wherein the tongue part is configured so that the tongue  
part will be placed between a pressing member, for pressing the  
exposed part of the sheets against a roller of the printer, and  
the sheets when the sheet package is set in the printer.

15 5. The sheet package according to claim 2, wherein the package  
member is provided with a first cut with which the portion of  
the package member folded to the one side can be engaged.

6. The sheet package according to claim 2, wherein the package  
member is provided with a second cut with which the portion of  
the package member folded to the other side can be engaged.

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7. The sheet package according to claim 6, wherein the second  
cut is provided to the tongue part.

25 8. The sheet package according to claim 5, wherein the package  
member is configured so that a plurality of sheet packages can  
be connected together in an aligned state by inserting a part  
of the package member of one sheet package into the first cut

of another sheet package.

9. The sheet package according to claim 4, wherein the package member includes a wrapping part which surrounds at least a part of an outside of the tongue part, the wrapping part being provided with a tab so that the sheet package set in the printer can be removed from the printer by holding and pulling the tab.

10. A sheet package, comprising:

10 sheets as print mediums for a printer; and  
a package member surrounding the sheets which have been stacked up,

15 the sheet package being configured so that the sheets can be set in the printer together with the package member exposing part of the sheets.

20 wherein the package member includes a base having a rectangular shape and substantially the same size as the sheet, around which a flap part, a tongue part opposed to the flap part, a first wrapping part, and a second wrapping part opposed to the first wrapping part are formed,

wherein the package member is configured so that the package member can be fixed in a box shape by folding the flap part, the first wrapping part, the second wrapping part and the tongue part with respect to the base,

25 wherein the flap part is configured so that the flap part can be turned from a closed state covering the sheets to an opened state exposing part of the sheets by folding the flap part to

the base side, and

wherein the sheet package is configured so that the sheet package can be set in the printer with the flap part fixed in the opened state exposing the part of the sheets while the exposed 5 part of the sheets can be covered with the flap part fixed in the closed state when the sheet package is not used.

11. The sheet package according to claim 10,

wherein a crease to be used for folding the flap part to 10 the base side is formed in the base, and wherein the part of the sheets is exposed on the base side of the package member when the flap part is set in the opened state by folding the flap part to the base side from the crease formed in the base.

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12. The sheet package according to claim 11, wherein the tongue part covers a surface of the sheets opposite to the base when the flap part is set in the opened state by folding the flap part to the base side.

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13. The sheet package according to claim 10, wherein the base is provided with a cut into which the flap part is inserted to be fixed in the opened state.

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14. The sheet package according to claim 10, wherein the tongue part is provided with a cut into which the flap part is inserted to be fixed in the closed state.

15. A sheet package, comprising:
- sheets as print mediums for a printer; and
- a package member surrounding the sheets which have been
- stacked up and having an indicator part indicating information
- on the sheets,
- wherein the sheet package is configured so that the sheets
- can be set in the printer together with the package member exposing
- part of the sheets and the indicator part can be seen through
- a window of the printer when the sheet package is set in the
- printer, and
- wherein the package member is formed by folding a plane
- material which is designed so that a joining part of the material
- will not be placed at a position corresponding to the window
- of the printer.